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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: MANUFACTURE AND USE OF A  
HERBICIDE FORMULATION

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Examiner: A. N. Pryor

**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated August 15, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 18 of this paper.